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INVENTOR(S) : Gaurav Sharma, et al.

TITLE : COLOR HALFTONING USING A MULTI-LEVEL
SUCCESSIVE-FILLING HALFTONE SCREENING
ALGORITHM

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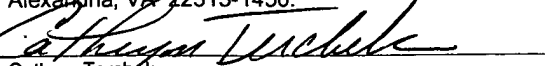
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Dear Sir:

In compliance with Title 37 of the Code of Regulations, § 1.84 Applicants submit five (5) pages of replacement drawing sheets, specifically FIGURES 1-4, herewith. The replacement drawing sheets are being submitted in response to the Examiner's objection in the Office Action mailed September 9, 2005. The corrected drawings are believed to comply with 37 CFR 1.121(d). The drawing sheet(s) are each labeled "Replacement Sheet."

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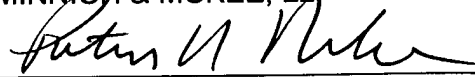

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Date: February 9 2006

Although no fees are believed to be required, Applicants authorize and request that any fees be charged to Deposit Account No. 24-0037. An early indication of acceptability of the Amended Drawings is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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